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NEWS FROM THE HOME DEPOT

THE HOME DEPOT PAYS TRIBUTE TO MILITARY SERVICE WITH 10 PERCENT MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND DISCOUNT

The Home Depot(R), the world's largest home improvement retailer, has announced that the Company is offering all active duty personnel, reservists, retired military, veterans and their families a 10 percent discount off their purchases in honor of Memorial Day. The offer is valid on purchases of up to \$2,000 for a maximum of \$200 between May 25 and May 29, 2006, at The Home Depot stores, The Home Depot Floor Stores(R), The Home Depot Landscape Supply(R) stores and EXPO Design Center(R) locations.

"The Memorial Day discount is one way our company can show appreciation for the heroic Americans who serve in our armed forces," said Bob Nardelli, chairman, president & CEO of The Home Depot. "This holiday honors the brave efforts of military men and women and the sacrifices they make to protect our nation, and The Home Depot is proud to say thank you."

To qualify, individuals must present proof of military service to the Special Services desk at any The Home Depot store, where they will receive a coupon that is redeemable at any cashier's checkout register. Discount coupons are valid on a single receipt, in-store purchase only. Details and exceptions are printed on the coupon. The discount offer extends the Company's overall commitment to supporting the military community.

The Home Depot(R) is the world's largest home improvement specialty retailer, with 2,060 retail stores in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, 10 Canadian provinces and Mexico.

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